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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

KAYYEM, *et al.*

Serial No. 09/557,577

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For: *Electrodes Linked Via Conductive
Oligomers to Nucleic Acid*

Group No. 1631

Examiner: Marschel, A.H.

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Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time to file a Response to the August 26, 2003 Office Action, by 1 month, to and including **December 26, 2003**, and enclose a check including the fee of \$110.00. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Our Order No. A-63761-5 (463037-00262)/RMS/RMK/SPL).

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